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SUBJECT: PROPOSED FURTHER CONTRIBUTIONS FROM NETHERLANDS GOVT TO MULTI-PURPOSE AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE SPECIAL FUNDS

SUMMARY: GOVT OF NETHERLANDS (GON) HAS OFFERED TO FURTHER CONTRIBUTE DUTCH GUILDERS EQUIVALENT TO US\$2,600,000 TO MULTI-PORPOSE SPECIAL FUND (MSF) AND U.S. \$71,000 TO TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE SPECIAL FUND (TSAF). PRESIDENT RECOMMENDS ACCEPTANCE AND U.S. DIRECTOR INTENDS TO SUPPORT WHEN CONSIDERED BY BOARD ON NOV. 15. END SUMMARY.

1. ADB DOC. R88-73 OF 29 OCT. 1973 POUCHED NAC AGENCIES NOV. 2 CONTAINS DRAFT EXCHANGE OF LETTERS AND PROPOSAL FOR NETHERLANDS OFFER OF CONTRIBUTION AS OF DATE OF PAYMENT OF 6,591,650 GUILDERS (EQUIVALENT TO \$2,600,000) TO BANK'S MSF AND 180,000 GUILDERS LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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(EQUIVALENT TO \$71,000) AS OF DATE OF PAYMENT TO TASF.

- 2. THESE CONTRIBUTION OFFERS MADE PURSUANT TO 1970 UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN GON AND BANK AND CONCURRED IN BY GOVT OF INDONESIA (GOI), THAT AS AND WHEN BANK DEVELOPED SPECIFIC LOAN AND TA PROJECTS IN IRIAN JAYA (WEST IRIAN) THAT GON WOULD CONTRIBUTE TO SPECIAL FUNDS AMOUNTS, WITHIN SPECIFIED TOTAL CEILING, SUFFICIENT TO COVER BANK'S COMMITMENTS UNDER THESE PROJECTS, UP TO A TOTAL AMOUNT OF 17,500,000 GUILDERS, PER DOC. SEC. M-22-70, REVISION 1, FINAL, DTD. 17 APRIL 1970.
- 3. THE MSF CONTRIBUTION OF US\$2,600,000 NOW PROPOSED IS IN CONSIDERATION OF A SPECIAL FUNDS LOAN OF SIMILAR AMOUNT APPROVED BY BOARD 3 APRIL 1973 FOR IRIAN JAYA POWER PROJECT (LOAN NO. 125-INO (SF) (REF MANILA 3777 DTD 4 APRIL 73). THE TASF CONTRIBUTION OF \$71,000 EQUIVALENT REPRESENTS REIMBURSEMENT TO BANK OF TA GRANT EXPENDITURES FOR PREPARATION OF IRIAN JAYA POWER PROJECT (T.A. NO. 53).
- 4. FUNDS CONTRIBUTED TO MSF WILL BE USED TO FINANCE EXPENDITURES ON THE IRIAN JAYA POWER PROJECT AS WELL AS ON OTHER SF PROJECTS IN ACCORD WITH BANK'S STANDARD PRACTICE IN ADMINISTERING MULTIPURPOSE CONTRIBUTIONS.
- 5. DOCUMENT NOTES THAT AT SPECIAL FUNDS MEETING HELD MANILA APRIL 1973, GON INDICATED THAT IF PROPOSED MOBILIZATION OF ASIAN DEVELOPMENT FUND WERE ADOPTED BY BOARD, GON WOULD WISH TO CREDIT MULTI-PURPOSE CONTRIBUTION OF US\$2,600,000 NOW PROPOSED TOWARDS ITS SHARE IN FIRST STAGE OF THE MOBILIZATION ARRANGEMENTS. GON INDICATED HOWEVER THAT IT WOULD NOT REPEAT NOT SEEK TO CREDIT ANY SUBSEQUENT CONTRIBUTIONS MADE PURSUANT TO THE UNDERSTANDING REFERRED TO ABOVE IN RESPECT OF PROJECTS IN IRIAN JAYA.
- 6. U.S. DIRECTOR INTENDS TO SUPPORT PRESIDENT'S RECOMMENDATION FOR ACCEPTANCE OF CONTRIBUTIONS WHEN DISCUSSED BY BOARD ON NOV. 15. SULLIVAN

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